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Vicente Perez Killed.

An altercation between Charles Marshall Saathoff on one side and Vicente Perez on the other, near Van Housen last Monday evening, the latter losing his life, his death being due to a gunshot wound in the head. In the fusillade, Saathoff fired another member of the party received a slight wound, north of the cause of death, turned it over to the sheriff for burial.

What lead to the deplorable death is not clear, as no evidence was introduced before the court on Monday, the defendants, on the advice of counsel, waiving a hearing.

Judge A. M. Lamm, as coroner, was called to the scene of the homicide and after viewing the body and ascertaining the cause of death, turned it over to the sheriff for burial.

According to rumor, it appears that Saathoff and his party, en route to Mexico, had been camped by the roadside for a few days, and were preparing to start on their journey; Chas. Saathoff had some tools from his thrasher.

When he went to the camp searching for tools, it seems that Perez became much incensed at Saathoff, but Saathoff made the first hostile demonstration is not clear. A great number of shots were fired, probably when a load from Saathoff's thrasher struck Perez just above the right eye.

The Saathoffs surrendered to the sheriff's department and on Tuesday morning were arraigned before Judge Justice of the peace, precinct No. 1, and examination and each were held to the grand jury in bonds of \$2,000.

Both defendants readily gave bonds and were discharged from custody. While Marshall Saathoff

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admits being present at the time of the homicide he disclaims taking any part in the affray.

The whole affair is sincerely regretted by the people of this section.

Notice.

I will open up a dairy Monday, June 25th, for business and will sell milk at the regular price. Milk 12½ cents per quart. Your patronage will be appreciated. Telephone 217. 47-4t C. D. EARNST.

Let Edwin F. Bendele put up your windmills and gasoline engines. All work guaranteed satisfactory. 14-tf

We Have To Do It!

WE DID not want to do it! But for several months the increased cost of issuing the Anvil Herald has been a heavy tax upon us. We have struggled along hoping against hope that conditions would change for the better and we could continue our business in the usual way. But conditions are going from bad to worse. To an increased cost of over two hundred per cent for paper and an increased freight rate the government is fixing to add an increase in the mailing rate and levy an ad valorem tax on our advertising income. In addition to that the postal laws have outlawed a certain class of our advertising and after July 1st that will cut about \$30.00 per month from our income that can not be replaced from any other source. So our course is inevitable. We must put up the subscription price of The Anvil Herald or we must discontinue the paper.

Therefore, from this date the subscription price of The Anvil Herald is \$1.50 per year and no new subscriptions will be taken for a less rate.

Those who are already subscribers can by paying up all back accounts by September 1st, renew their subscriptions at the old price of one dollar a year if they desire. After Sept. 1st all renewals will be for the new rate of \$1.50. We feel this to be only fair to those who have favored us with their patronage in the past.

Regretting the necessity for this increase but seeing no other alternative, we make the necessary change trusting we shall have your continued patronage. You will want the weekly visits of the old familiar Anvil Herald. I can only continue them to you by your coming to our financial relief by this increased price. Will you help us?

Very respectfully yours to serve,

FLETCHER DAVIS, Publisher.

Farm Labor Question.

In view of the possibility of there being a shortage of farm labor in the state, caused by exodus of the Mexicans, a meeting of several State Departments was held and Mr. T. C. Jennings was appointed State Farm Help Specialist. The object of the undertaking is to bring the farmer needing help and the laborer needing employment together, as speedily as possible.

I was appointed Deputy State Labor Commissioner to look after the work in this county. If anyone has labor to spare or is wanting labor, I would appreciate them letting me know so that I may communicate same to Mr. Jennings.

Should some farmers be compelled by the continued drouth to let their Mexican laborers loose, I would also appreciate for them to let me know as it is possible that their services are needed in other sections of the State. It would be better to find them employment somewhere in the state than to allow them to go back to Mexico, which would probably result should no employment be furnished them.

T. N. LEE, County Demonstrator.

Notice.

To any lady milliner wishing a nice location on ground floor on good street in Hondo, I will rent a part of my lower floor space in the back part of my building and give a small place at the show window in front to display hats. Anyone desiring a nice, cool, well located place, rent reasonable, apply to A. J. SWEARINGEN, Box 44, Hondo, Texas. 46-2t

Buy your tires from the City Garage We see that you get service.

Honors to a Hondo Lady.

Mrs. J. N. Dowdy returned Tuesday night from Des Moines, Iowa, where she went as one of the seventeen state delegates from Texas to the National Convention of the Modern Yeomen. As the number of delegates is limited and as this convention meets only once every three years this was an opportunity that comes to but few indeed. As a still further distinction, Mrs. Dowdy was given a place on the program for a speech on Fraternity and in this had the unique honor of being the only lady to formerly address the convention.

The trip from here to Des Moines, with its many changes of scene, the visit to so many points of interest, both enroute and at Des Moines, and, above all, the meeting of so many interesting people, all bound by common ties in the great order with which they are connected, made the trip one continued source of pleasure and delight to Mrs. Dowdy.

Woman's Missionary Society.

The Mission Study Class of the Woman's Missionary Society met at the Methodist Church, Monday, June 18th. Eight members were present. The class is studying "The South Today." The subject for this meeting was "Human Problems." Under this subject we study the needs of the South and how to meet them.

The lesson for the next class meeting will be the last half of chapter 5, beginning with page 125.

REPORTER.

A four wheel trailer you can attach to any car. Price right. See it at City Garage.

MONEY TO LOAN!

on Farms and Ranches. Two lots and house \$2300, also two lots and one two-story house \$1750. Bargains in City and Town Property. W. B. ODOM, HONDO, TEXAS

Notice to Auto Owners.

Let us vulcanize your old cut or blown out tires, if worth repairing. It will be the cheapest since the price has advanced on tires, also vulcanize tubes.

CITIZENS MOTOR CAR CO.

\$500.00 Reward.

I will pay the above reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who are stealing my steers.

23-tf.

D. W. SHORT.

HELP YOUR COUNTRY and Make Money for Yourself

Uncle Sam must have the money QUICKLY to build thousands of food and munition carrying ships, to raise, equip and maintain an army of 1,000,000 men; to give us a smashing big navy--in short, to enable our country to carry on its share of the great war for the FREEDOM OF THE WORLD

YOU can do YOUR part by lending the Government some of your savings. Invest now in one or more of the Liberty Loan Bonds. You will be helping yourself while you help your country. The bonds pay 3 1-2 per cent interest and are as good as gold. There is an easy payment plan. For example, if you want to buy one of the \$50 bonds, you can make your payments at this bank, as follows:

2 per cent when you buy the bond	\$ 1.00
18 per cent on June 28, 1917	9.00
20 per cent on July 30, 1917	10.00
30 per cent on August 15, 1917	15.00
30 per cent on August 30, 1917	15.00
TOTAL	\$50.00

The bonds will be dated June 15, 1917, and will run for 30 years, when the Government will repay the principal. Twice a year the owner will receive interest at the rate of 3 1-2 per cent a year.

COME IN AND LET US HELP YOU TO HELP YOURSELF, YOUR COUNTRY AND HUMANITY

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

HONDO, TEXAS

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

To Owners of Ford Cars

The Ford Motor Company, of Detroit, appointed us authorized agents for Ford cars in this territory, to properly represent Ford interests, to give service to Ford owners. The Company in return demands that we equip and maintain an adequate service station, employing competent Ford mechanics, using only genuine Ford-made materials and charging regular Ford prices.

This is the service we are giving to Ford owners. Material --- workmanship --- prices, the standard of each guaranteed.

When your Ford car needs attention, bring it to us, and get the benefit of expert Ford mechanics. We give you the assurance of genuine Ford service, with genuine Ford-made parts.

Ford cars--Runabout \$345; Touring Car \$360; Coupelet \$505; Town Car \$595; Sedan \$645, all f. o. b. Detroit.

Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Smart Footwear



SHOES AT THE LOWEST PRICES AND FOR EVERY NEED

We have Good Shoes for all the family

FOR MEN, WOMEN BOYS AND GIRLS

Satisfactory savings guaranteed by buying from

SUGARMAN SUPPLY CO.

H. Hartman, Manager

See O. H. Miller For Gasoline and Oils
Magnolia Brands are Best

The Hen and the Doorknob

By Herbert Kaufman

Once upon a time there was a fool hen who sat on a china doorknob for three weeks expecting to get a family. The only thing she did get was experience.

The advertising field is full of "china doorknob propositions"—examples of merchants who expect good newspapers to hatch money out of bad egg business, or who put sound nest eggs under the wrong "advertising hen."

There are three principles to follow in an advertising campaign: First of all, find a business that will stand advertising; secondly, find the newspaper that will make the advertising pay; thirdly, give the newspaper time to pay.

You can't start in to breed dollars in less time than it takes to hatch them any more than you can pull a hen off the nest before she has had a chance to incubate. In both cases you simply waste what has been invested. If you stop too soon you will get a rotten egg instead of a chicken.

Advertise something out of which you may reasonably expect returns, and when you have found what to advertise, take care that you place your copy in a newspaper that can turn the trick. Don't delude yourself with a china doorknob, and don't confuse a "rooster newspaper," which spends its time cock-a-loruming, for a "hen newspaper" that is too busy hatching out dollars to strut about crowing.

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Bring your JOB WORK to the Anvil Herald office---We can please you.

The Famous Collie In "Runaway June" Entertains Himself



DONNIE, RELIANCE-MUTUAL PET, A STAR DOG.

Donnie, who goes under the name of Bonner in "Runaway June," not only is a star dog, but he is a dog star, without relation to heavenly bodies (though there are enough human stars and comets and meteors in the east of famous "Runaway June" to start many a heavenly circuit). Donnie is a splendidly trained animal with almost human intelligence. In this he is the screen's only rival of Jack Harvey's Thanouser dog Shep.

Donnie, too, is one of the youngest of all film players. He is but two years old. Even if he is only an animal, Donnie is justified in feeling proud of his progress reached within such tender years.

The Anvil Herald BANQUET FOR HIS 84 WIVES

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NOTICE:—The public is hereby requested to ask for and keep a receipt for any and all money paid to any of the agents or employees of my papers, and hereafter any money paid to any of them without securing a receipt from them for the same will be at the payer's risk. This is imperative and must be observed. FLETCHER DAVIS, Publisher.

Blackening Metals.

The ruthless black surface given metals by a patented British process depends upon heating in carbonaceous material containing phosphorus, and then quenching in carbonaceous liquid. Cleaning of the articles is first effected by pickling or by a blast of shot or sand. Articles designed for ordinary conditions of corrosion may be given a thin coating of zinc, which is applied by placing the cleaned objects in zinc dust, and heating to 350 degrees or 375 degrees Centigrade, in a suitable furnace for about three hours. A drum or furnace electrically heated is very efficient. The zinc-coated metal is next placed in a hot mixture of 15 quarts of charred bone dust to one quart of liquid coal-tar, and is heated an hour and a half to about 360 degrees. Removed to an oven, the articles are now baked about five minutes at 500 degrees. They are finally taken out, and quenched in a bath of boiled linseed oil.

Play That Helps.

Play that leads the children to use their own ideas and perhaps also to make their own toys is infinitely to be preferred to amusements that offer no stimulation to their imagination. In a family where word games were liked the mother saved all the newspapers that had large black letters and let the children cut the letters out neatly. An envelope was labeled for each letter, and all the "A's" put in one, all the "B's" in another, and so on. Then squares of cardboard were cut out and the letters were pasted on. Material for a game was economically supplied thus, and extra occupation for the children, too. Another time some paraffin was given to them to mold. It was first put in the oven until in a workable condition. Beginning with marbles and blocks, the children soon attempted more ambitious modeling to their own pleasure and advantage.

Team Work on Battleship.

The problem of naval expansion would not be so hard were it not for the fact that every ship needs such a great number in its crew; because the greater the number of men that must work together as "a team" the greater the difficulty of accomplishing the "team work" and the longer the time required. In a ship, especially in a large ship, like a battleship or battle cruiser, most of the men work together in large groups, such as turret crews. One hundred men sometimes composing a turret crew, nevertheless the ship and all the men it floats are bound together by invisible cords that make a ship a unit; and the major effect of the training and of the drills of all kinds is to make the whole a living organism.—Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, in The World's Work.

Celery Always Valuable.

The flavor of celery is one totally distinct from any other plant, all of its own, and, above all, remarkably delicious; whether mixed as a salad or put in a purée, or added to other vegetables, as a soup, or as a sauce, it always retains its original and delicate flavor, which blends as no other plant or flavoring vegetable will blend. Celery, too, possesses remarkable medicinal value. Celery soup, celery cream, celery sauce, braised or stewed celery, and, simple celery salad form the more ordinary styles of preparing this vegetable.

The reason an old-timer doesn't care much for baseball is because he considers marbles a more fascinating game.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

What we hate about riding a jitney is that we object to our conventional knees mingling with knees unchaperoned.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1916.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

King of Siam Gave Remarkable Feast, the First and Only One of Its Kind Ever Known.

It was just 20 years ago that his late majesty, Somdet Phra Parmendit Maha Chulalongkorn, gave a dinner—the first and only one of its kind—to a few of his favorite wives, 84 in number.

His majesty's father, King Mongkut, dined every day seated alone and waited upon by 100 kneeling wives. The queen, also kneeling, tasted each dish before presenting it to her lord. King Chulalongkorn, inaugurating a new era, had his wives seated about his royal table as guests and equals. The waiters and busboys were princes of the blood royal.

The service was magnificent—the plates of solid gold were worth a king's ransom. The knives, forks and spoons were fashioned after queer old Siamese types of ornamentation found in the ancient capital of Ayuthia. The glass was engraved with his majesty's monogram, inlaid with gold. The menu cards were of the thinnest rice paper with solid gold lettering. On the table stood bouquets six feet in height, made of hothouse flowers, enlarged by hand to unusual size. For example, the roses were gathered, the petals pulled apart and sewn together again with the finest of needles and silk thread.

Of course one of the dishes was birds' nest soup, made of the famous birds' nests from the Malayan peninsula. A Siamese curry was always a special delight; this royal curry was a dish to remember. Served from golden "Sombote" dishes were a dozen condiments—in addition to the curry proper—spices from India, grated coconut, kopeck (in which hot chili predominated), tamarind paste, mango chutney and, best of all, "Bombay duck," a sundried jellyfish.

Siam is noted for the finest of reed-birds, dozens of which were roasted and broiled. Deer for the dinner were shot at Bangplaoi, and innumerable varieties of other flesh-meats, as well as of fish, were served, including ducklings and goslings from the royal farm. For fruits there were oranges and bananas—especially ripened—mangoes, mangosteens, pomegranates, custard-apples, guavas, sapadillos and a load of pineapples from Pineapple Island, near Singapore.

His late majesty was a king—every inch of him.—W. J. Palmer, in Commonwealth Idea.

Hit the Mark.

The pretty school teacher had asked her class for the best original definition of "wife," and the boy in the corner promptly responded: "A rib!" She looked at him reproachfully, and nodded to the boy with dreamy eyes, who seemed anxious to say something. "Man's guiding star and guardian angel!" he said, in response to the nod. "A helpmeet!" put in a little flaxen-haired girl. "One who soothes man in adversity," suggested a demure little girl. "And spends his money when he's flush," added the incorrigible boy in the corner. There was a lull, and the pretty, dark-haired girl said, slowly: "A wife is the envy of spinsters." "One who makes a man hustle," was the next suggestion. "And keeps him from making a fool of himself," put in another girl. "Someone for a man to find fault with when things go wrong," said a sorrowful little maiden. "Stop there," said the pretty school teacher; "that's the best definition."

Difficulties of the Thrifty.

Mother B— has brought up a large family on a small income and has, of necessity, been of a very frugal turn of mind. The children are married now, and Father and Mother B— are alone and in comfortable circumstances. One day their son John called, and his mother showed him three big loaves of bread she had just baked. She complained that she had too much bread on hand, and would have to give him a loaf, and also one to her son Frank, since she and father could not possibly eat it all. John asked, "Why do you bake so much, then?" And his mother indignantly answered, "Do you suppose I am going to heat that big oven for just one loaf of bread?"—Youth's Companion.

Our recollection is that there was more of them and they cost less in the good old times when they were called "victuals".

Of course, Solomon got by with it, but no man these days would be allowed to grab all the sweet girl graduates.

THE REFLECTIONS OF A MARRIED WOMAN

—are not pleasant if she is delicate, run-down, or overworked. She feels "played out." Her smile and her good spirits have taken flight. It worries her husband as well as herself.

This is the time to build up her strength and cure those weaknesses or ailments which are the seat of her trouble. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription regulates and promotes all the proper functions of womanhood, enriches the blood, dispels aches and pains, melancholy and nervousness, brings refreshing sleep, and restores health and strength. It cures those disorders and derangements incident to womanhood.

Mrs. LUCINDA ARMSTRONG, 2312 Dallas Avenue, Dallas, Texas, says: "My mother used Dr. Pierce's medicines over thirty years ago and recommended them to her daughters. I have used the 'Favorite Prescription' during my married life and found this remedy was all that was claimed for it."

Budweiser



WE INVITE

a comparison of--

Quality,
Price and
Workmanship

on all kinds of JOB PRINTING
THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD

Want a Home?

Here is a good four-room house on three nice lots in a good location with a good well and other improvements that can be had at a low price and reasonable terms. If you want a home in D'Hanis, see R. B. REYNOLDS, owner, or FLETCHER DAVIS, agent, and Manager of the

Hondo Land Company, Hondo



ALAMO

—As a thirst quencher it's the best drink obtainable.

—As a health tonic it's recommended by physicians.

Alamo Beer is best because it's scientifically brewed and properly aged. Order it by name only. Have a Case Sent Home.

LONE STAR BREWING ASS'N.
San Antonio, Texas.
CALLAHAN & STIEGLER
Local Dealers

Joint County Institute.
Beginning the second Monday in
November a joint county institute will
be held for five days, to hold its ses-
sion in the new George W. Bracken-
ridge High School, San Antonio, Tex.
from the standpoint of the num-
ber of teachers in attendance and the
character of lecturers who will
give instruction, this institute will
be the largest in both Texas and the
South.
The following counties have already
expressed their intention to join the
institute:
Adkins, Supt. H. D. Rhodes
" Miss Pattie L. Reagan
" P. F. Stewart
" N. E. Scudder
" A. J. Cook
" Joe. F. Saegert
" A. K. Kneese
" L. P. Lightsey
" J. W. Lawhon
" G. G. Jones
" J. E. Mathews
" Miss Josephine Jones
" Carroll Thompson
" W. N. Sathoff
The following counties, together with the
San Antonio teachers will make an
enrollment of 1,600. The institute will
be conducted by Superintendent Chas.
Burton, head of the De-
partment of English in the University
of Minnesota, will give a series of
lectures on the following subjects:
The Return to Dickens
George Bernard Shaw
Latter-day Novelists
The Drama of Today
The Revolution in Poetry
The Personal Essay
The New School in Drama
The Theatre and the People
Poetry for Children
Robert L. Stevenson
Robert Browning
The New Manner in Poetry
There is no question but that the
lectures of the San Antonio schools
in surrounding country will have in
Burton a lecturer unexcelled in his
own America.
Chas. H. Judd, head of the De-
partment of Education in the Universi-
ty of Chicago, who has surveyed more
schools in America than any other
man, will also be one of the lecturers.
He has recently completed the survey
of the schools of Cleveland, St. Louis,
Denver and is now embarking on
a survey of the city schools of
Chicago.
Judd's lectures will be on the
Psychology of High School subjects

Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of
Paimor, Okla., writes:
"From the time I en-
tered into womanhood
... I looked with dread
from one month to the
next. I suffered with my
back and bearing-down
pain, until life to me was
a misery. I would think
I could not endure the
pain any longer, and I
gradually got worse. . .
Nothing seemed to help
me until, one day, . . .
I decided to

TAKE CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles,"
Mrs. Jones goes on to
say, "and was not only
greatly relieved, but can
truthfully say that I have
not a pain."
"It has now been two
years since I took Cardui,
and I am still in good
health. . . I would ad-
vise any woman or girl
to use Cardui who is a
sufferer from any female
trouble."
If you suffer pain caused
from womanly trouble, or
if you feel the need of a
good strengthening tonic
to build up your run-down
system, take the advice
of Mrs. Jones. Try Car-
dium. It helped her. We
believe it will help you.

All Druggists
L. 40

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati authority tells how to dry
up a corn or callus so it lifts
off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women
need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes
that nearly killed you before, says this
Cincinnati authority, because a few
drops of freezeone applied directly on a
tender, aching corn or callus, stops sore-
ness at once and soon the corn or
hardened callus loosens so it can be
lifted out, root and all, without pain.
A small bottle of freezeone costs very
little at any drug store, but will posi-
tively take off every hard or soft
corn or callus. This should be tried,
as it is inexpensive and is said not to
irritate the surrounding skin.
If your druggist hasn't any freezeone
tell him to get a small bottle for you
from his wholesale drug house. It is
fine stuff and acts like a charm every
time.

and also on problems of Elementary
Education. No man in America has
appeared so many times in the last ten
years before the National Superinten-
dents' Association as has Dr. Chas.
H. Judd. Every seat is filled when
Judd lectures, because he does not
deal in vague theories but in the con-
crete and practical in education.

Dr. Lotus B. Coffman of the
Teachers College, Columbia, and of
the Universities of Illinois and Minne-
sota is also well known in education.
His lectures will be on the following
subjects:

GENERAL LECTURES.

Three Purposes of the Public Schools
Types of Instruction
Tradition and Reform in Education
Professionalization of the Teaching
Corps

PRINCIPALS AND SUPERINTENDENTS:
The Nature and Scope of Supervision.
Making Education Definite.
Results and Their Measurements.

FOR HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS:

Organization and Administration of
Secondary Education.
Merit Among High School Teachers.

In addition to the four lectures be-
fore the general association, in which
all meet together in the large auditori-
um, there will be section meetings
each day along the following lines:

Rural Education; Principals' and Su-
perintendents' sections; High School
section; Music and Writing; Grammar
grade subjects, and Primary grade
subjects.

The four lectures before the Gen-
eral Association will furnish inspira-
tion for all. There will be ample time
also for the teachers to get in the sec-
tion meetings such specific help as
they need.

All the county superintendents are
enthusiastic about the meeting, and
all determined that this shall be the
greatest joint institute ever conducted
in Texas or the South.

Provision has already been made to
have convention railroad rates for all
the lines.

Bowel Complaints in India.

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines,
Iowa, churches a missionary from India
told of going into the interior of India,
where he was taken sick, that he had
a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera
and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and
believed that it saved his life. This
remedy is used successfully in India
both as a preventive and cure for
cholera. You may know from this
that it can be depended upon for the
milder forms of bowel complaint that
occur in this Country. Obtainable ev-
erywhere.

Also, the cost of living was lower in
the good old days when sweethearts
were satisfied with peppermint candy.

Our guess is that the first time a
girl goes out in a hipless dress she
feels like a somnambulist.

Sloan's Liniment for Rheumatism.

The pain goes so quickly after you
apply Sloan's Liniment for rheumatic
pains, neuralgia, toothache, lumbago,
sprains, and it's so easy to use. It
quickly penetrates and soothes without
rubbing and is far cleaner and more
effective than musky plasters or oint-
ment.

Keep a bottle in the house and get
prompt relief, not only from all nerve-
pains but from bruises, strains, sprains,
over-exercise and all external aches.
At your druggists, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00.

Advice to June bridegrooms: Ameri-
ca is the home of the brave, but don't
try to prove it by starting a rough
house.

Croup, Whooping-Cough Relieved.

Children's diseases demand prepared-
ness. When the child wakes you at
night, gasping and strangling for
breath, how thankful you are to have
Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey at hand.
This effective remedy loosens the
mucous and permits free and natural
breathing. Its soothing balsams heal
the irritated membrane and arrests
further inflammation. Pleasant to take.
Keep Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey in the
house for all colds and bronchial trou-
bles. At your druggist, 25c.

GIRLS! WHITEN YOUR SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

Make a beauty lotion for a few cents to
remove tan, freckles, sallowness.

Your grocer has the lemons and any
drug store or toilet counter will supply
you with three ounces of orchard white
for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of
two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put
in the orchard white and shake well.
This makes a quarter pint of the very
best lemon skin whitener and complexion
beautifier known. Massage this frag-
rant, creamy lotion daily into the face,
neck, arms and hands and just see how
freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and
roughness disappear and how smooth,
soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes!
It is harmless, and the beautiful results
will surprise you.

Sabinal Sentinal Siftings.

Mr. Robert Shane's daughters went
to D'Hanis Wednesday evening on a
visit to their grandmother, Mrs. Deck-
ert.

Maude M. Clayton went to Hondo
last week to attend the Summer Nor-
mal.

Not every one is making a failure of
their gardens; that is judging from
the size and quantity of potatoes Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur Rothe from Seco
raised. They planted twenty pounds of
seed and raised two hundred and
forty pounds of potatoes. The asso-
ciate editor was fortunate enough to
get one of them which when dug weigh-
ed seventeen ounces. How is that for
a dry land farm?

Miss Allen of Hondo was visiting at
Leakey and returned home Monday
evening.

Mr. Morris Hunter went to Hondo
Tuesday.

Forethought.

People are learning that a little fore-
thought often saves them a big ex-
pense. Here is an instance: E. W.
Archer, Caldwell, Ohio, writes: "I do
not believe that our family has been
without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera
and Diarrhea Remedy since we com-
menced keeping house years ago.
When we go on an extended visit we
take it with us." Obtainable every-
where.

Our Idea of a frenzied financier is a
person who lends his money to his
brother-in-law instead of buying liberty
loan bonds.

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.

"I will cheerfully say that Chamber-
lain's Tablets are the most satisfac-
tory remedy for stomach troubles and
constipation that I have sold in thirty-
four years' drug store service,"
writes S. H. Murphy, druggist, Wells-
burg, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

Another thing—why doesn't some
misanthrope invent a round dandruff,
to roll off of level heads?

One of the best things about a golf
game is that it makes a man so mad
at himself.

Never Neglect a Cold.

A chill after bathing, cooling off sud-
denly after exercise and drafts, give
the cold germs a foot-hold that may
lead to something worse. Safety re-
quires early treatment. Keep Dr.
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Break up the cold with Dr. King's New
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ASK THE LOCAL AGENT

Lacoste Ledger Laconics.

Jno. C. Biediger, our assistant editor
and business manager, is sick and is
in the Santa Rosa Hospital in San An-
tonio at present. This week's issue of
the Ledger will probably not be so well
made up and contain less reading mat-
ter, but we hope to be able to have
him on the job again in the near fu-
ture.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Oefinger and
sons were San Antonio visitors Satur-
day and Sunday.

Messrs. Henry and John Gross left
for their ranch at D'Hanis Monday.

Chas. Boehme from Riomedina was
a business visitor here Monday.

J. P. Hawkes was visiting his sister,
Mrs. Don. Hertzling, at Hacienda,
Texas, Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. L. A. Koontz and John Koenig
were fishing and squirrel hunting be-
low Idlewild last Thursday. They re-
turned with 12 pounds of fish and 8
squirrels.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bohl a
baby boy June 12, 1917. Mother and
child are doing fine, and daddy is wear-
ing a large smile.

Edmund Geyer of Pearsall was a vi-
sitor here Saturday and Sunday. He
was accompanied home by his two
daughters who attended school here
the past year and by Mrs. Catherine
Stein who will stay a few months with
Mr. Geyer and family.

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active, clears the sluggish mind and
changes to cheerfulness, the grown-
ups that torpid liver has made irritable
and lowspirited. A large bottle costs
only 50c, at your druggist.

Cat Is Ancient Animal.

The cat has an ancient history. Tradi-
tion has it that the creature ap-
peared in Egypt about 1500 B. C., and
being highly regarded there as a fire-
side Sphinx, snuggled down near the
seats of the mighty and made himself
very much at home. Mummy casts
are found in the pyramids. The first
cat is believed to have been of Afri-
can origin. Travelers from Greece
seeing the cats so comfortably en-
cosed in Egypt saw to it that some
of them were brought to Athens, and
from the ancient seat of culture the
cat is supposed to have spread over
Europe. The animal in Europe was
adopted by man as a pet about the
ninth century.

Something Coming to Willie.

His Sisters Beau—Willie, you ought
to go to school every day. Then you
will grow up to be a wise man.

Willie—Huh, I guess the law won't
let me know too much.

H. S. B.—Why, my boy, what has the
law to do with it?

Willie—Well, something, I guess,
'cause father says you don't know any
more than the law allows.

The Average Citizen.

"A man ought to attend to his own
business."

"It can't be done," answered Mr.
Crosslots. "Every time a strike is
threatened people who don't know me
get together and decide whether I
shall be able to ride to work."

Saving Money by Taxi.

It was an ingenious husband who
sent his wife shopping in a taxi the
other day. A friend who happened to
see him say good-by to her from the
curb remarked on his apparent ex-
travagance.

"It's economy, really," said the hus-
band. "Whenever she's in a shop she'll
be worried to death because the taxi
is eating up money all the time, so
she won't stay long enough to spend
half as much as she would if she went
on foot or in a street car."

Smaller Buns.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Do you think
our baker is intemperate?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Yes.

"Too bad."

"Well, there is some hope. You
know he is cutting down the size of
his buns now."

To the Public.

"I have been using Chamberlain's
Tablets for indigestion for the past six
months, and it affords me pleasure to
say I have never used a remedy that
did me so much good."—Mrs. C. Riley,
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are obtainable everywhere.

Six Cities One Should See.

There are at least six cities on this
continent which everyone should see,
says Julian Street in Collier's. Every-
one should see New York because it is
the largest city in the world, and be-
cause it combines the magnificence,
the wonder, the beauty, the sordidness
and the shame of a great metropolis;
everyone should see San Francisco
because it is so vivid, so alive, so golden-
en; everyone should see Washington,
the clean, white splendor of which is
like the embodiment of a national
dream; everyone should see the old
gray granite city of Quebec piled on its
hill above the river like some fortif-
ied town in France; everyone should
see the sweet and aristocratic city of
Charleston, which suggests a museum
of tradition and early American ele-
gance, and of course everyone should
see New Orleans.

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Are " " " " hogpen?
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Do " " iron roofing?
Do " " paints, oils, etc.?

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If you don't want anything at all see Kuntz-Flint.
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Miss Kathleen Lynch was a passenger east Monday.
Mrs. J. M. Hall visited relatives at Knippa this week.
Ask for S. P. S. Green Coupons, free at Windrow's.
Mrs. Sadie Hutzler was an Alamo City visitor Monday.
Mrs. Charles Filleman was a passenger west Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Miller was here from D'Hanis during the week.
J. A. Blackburn was a business caller at this office Tuesday.
Willie Bendele was a business caller at this office Tuesday.
Mrs. Henry Britsch was a business caller at this office Monday.
H. C. Rothe and family of D'Hanis were Hondo visitors Monday.
Rev. P. H. Hensch was a business caller at this office Wednesday.
Miss Lola Buchanan arrived Wednesday from a visit to points east.
Mrs. Emil Carle and little daughter were here from D'Hanis Thursday.
Buy your Filtered gasoline from McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.
Ed Hutzler was over from Dunlay Monday and paid our office a business call.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Fohn and children were over from D'Hanis Thursday.
F. H. Bohlen called at this office Tuesday and moved up his date another year.
Jacob Oefinger was here from Dunlay Monday and paid this office a business call.
Mrs. Cook was here from Austin this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. J. E. Schlottmann.

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Henry Hardt, who has been attending Georgetown University for the past term, arrived home Wednesday that institution having closed for the term.

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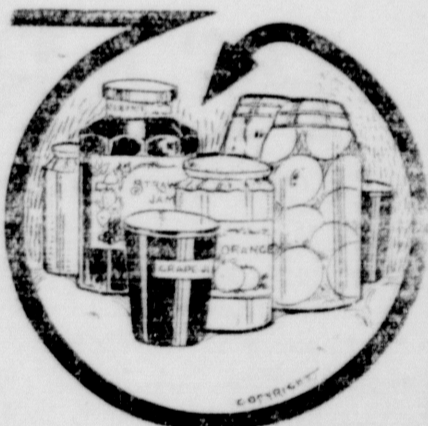
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Mrs. O. W. Peters returned home from Seguin Tuesday.

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Phone 37 for special auto livery. McClaugherty & Son. 25-tf.

PURE SUDAN GRASS SEED for sale, 50c. per lb. Apply to Chas. Saathoff. 42-1m

Wm. H. Davis, County Attorney of Zavala County, was here Saturday on business.

The hot, dry weather continues as does our crave for a big slice of ice-cold watermelon.

All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendele's. All work done at reasonable prices. 14-tf

Wm. Boon came in Wednesday from Pearsall on business. He reports the Pearsall country, like Hondo, very much in need of rain.

Gus R. Mann, who was a caller at this office last week-end, reported a great deal of damage to the cotton in his section from the webworms.

When you want to sell your chickens or any other kind of poultry, see or ring us first, as we can give you better prices. L. Barrientes and Sons.

John G. Britsch was a business caller at this office Saturday and enrolled with our corps of readers. Mr. Britsch was the first subscriber at the new rate of \$1.50 per year.

Miss Nanna Smith who has been employed for some time by the Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co., in San Antonio, returned home Saturday for an indefinite stay.

Miss Amanda Hall, after a few days visit to her brother, Jim Hall, and wife, returned home to Knippa Tuesday. She was accompanied home by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hall.

Don't fail to read why we have to raise our subscription price on another page. Our present subscribers can save some money by taking advantage of the renewal offer to them.

Mrs. H. J. Meyer and sons, John Henry and Walter, returned home Tuesday from a several week's visit to Mrs. Meyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holloway, at LaGrange.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Arrangements have been made with J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate business at D'Hanis. See him at the depot at that place and talk over your real estate wants with him. Fletcher Davis. 1-tf

All farmers interested in destroying the boll weevil are invited to see a double-row machine, Neil's patent, in operation at my farm, one mile north of Biry. Albert Bilhartz, phone No. 3, ring 5. 46-4t

Ricard Ellebracht was a business caller at this office Saturday. Mr. Ellebracht runs a public service thrasher and informed us that he had threshed 1,500 bushels of oats up to that time. The yield has been extremely light, running from 9 to 10 bushels per acre. Mr. Ellebracht sold his individual crop at the thrasher for 70c per bushel.

Rolf Balzen passed through here the first of the week with ten teams enroute from his home near Knippa to the Medina Valley Irrigation Co. farms where he is planting thirty acres in sorghum and will irrigate it an effort to produce feed for his stock. The drouth has hit Knippa farmers hard this year, as that section has almost no crops at all.

An automobile party, composed of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mumme, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Boehle, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Borchers and Messrs. F. W. Boehle and H. J. Boehle motored down to Poteet Wednesday to have a look at the irrigated gardens in that favored spot. They returned by way of San Antonio and took in the sights of that city. They had a very enjoyable day.

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Ernest Saathoff made a trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Burger was a visitor in San Antonio Tuesday.

A nice place for ladies to eat at the New York Lunch Room.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Merriman were passengers east Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt was a passenger to San Antonio Wednesday morning.

After a visit home Miss Josephine Hutzler returned to San Antonio Thursday.

If you have not seen it watch for the Classy Country Club Overland Roadster.

Get your fruits and vegetables at Barrientes & Sons. The people with the GOODS.

Mrs. Salome Minica and little son left Tuesday morning for Edna, Jackson county.

John Frerichs went to San Antonio Tuesday to consult an oculist with reference to his eyes.

Earl Parsons is in San Antonio where he has employment with Uncle Sam as paymaster.

Phone 200, or see us for our prices, any time. Yours for business, L. Barrientes & Son's.

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Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

Mrs. Eugene Mofield arrived from Del Rio last Saturday on a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Bradley.

COTTONSEED WANTED—Anyone having cottonseed for sale will please see or phone Jack Fusselman. 47-1m

The Hondo Land Co. has made connections whereby it can advertise in several newspapers. List your lands with it. 1-tf.

Five Dollar Duplex Razor now \$1 at C. R. Gaines—the only safety razor that you can shave with like the old-time razor. 46

Misses Ruth and Edith Crutchfield, after a visit to their sister, Mrs. V. A. Crow, returned to their home in Devine Tuesday.

Buy your phone batteries—Columbia—at C. R. Gaines; and remember, I sell the Edison Diamond Disc; also the auto tire that gives satisfaction.

For quick sale—3 or more shares in Hondo Electric Light, Ice & Power Co. Cash Only. Make us an offer. Hanley & Davis, box J, D'Hanis, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffiths, Miss Corena Locke and Miss Alice Crabtree were an automobile party from here that visited San Antonio Wednesday.

All parties owning the McCracken Insect Destroyer will please drop me a card if you want me to come out and install the new spring. E. F. Johnson, Hondo or Devine.

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Judge Talliferro of San Antonio will address the citizens of Hondo at the Air Dome Sunday night in the interest of the Red Cross Society. Bring your friends. We want six hundred to hear this address. Will you help?

A colored base ball team came out from San Antonio Wednesday and crossed bats with the local colored team at de Montel Park. The visiting aggregation was no match for the local bunch, however, and got romped on to the tune of 11 to 1.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and children left on Wednesday night's train for a visit to El Paso and points in New Mexico. They purpose being absent some two or three weeks. Dr. B. B. Liles will have charge of Dr. Smith's practice during his absence.

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at the New York Lunch Room.
Holloway Bros. and files. Holloway Bros.
Ney was here from D'Hanis Tuesday.
service, buy Goodyear tires. Motor Car Co.
Hartung spent last Sunday at D'Hanis.
Sathoff was here from D'Hanis Tuesday on business.
Mrs. Freddie Koch were from D'Hanis Tuesday.
Scriber spent last Sunday at D'Hanis.
Mrs. Alf. Finger of D'Hanis visitors here Wednesday evening.
of buying, selling or trading call 199 or visit City Garage.
phone 200 for nice fresh green beans. Fresh shipments received
through my WALL PAPER LOGS before you order. Henry 41-4t.
Emil Carle and daughter, Mae, among the D'Hanis visitors here

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AT

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SUNDAY JULY 1st

MUSIC by the Schott Orchestra

Everybody Come

Lawn mowers. Holloway Bros.
Blue flame oil stoves. Holloway Bros.
Miss Evelyn de Montel visited friends in Castroville this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Koch of D'Hanis spent Sunday here with Mr. Koch's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Nick Koch.
For Sale—2½ horse power gasoline engine for sale. Apply to Citizens' Motor Car Company. 41-tf.
Mrs. Rob Reynolds and children were the guests of Mrs. Reynolds' mother, Mrs. Regina Deckert, in D'Hanis last Sunday.
Misses Lola and Eula Lee Webb, after some time spent here, left for Ledbetter Friday morning for a visit before returning to their home at El Campo.
What? A mass meeting to organize a Red Cross Society to care for our boys who will have to go to the front.
When? Sunday, 8:30 p. m.
Where? At the Air Dome.
Invited? You.

Wanted Farm-Ranch

Will pay cash for Farm-Ranch having water front near Hondo. Be specific, tell everything in first letter. Please don't answer the ad unless you have a bargain to offer. 47-2t
JOE COFFEY, Eddy, Texas.

BIG DANCE

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BIRY HALL

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aturday 23rd
ight June

W. J. Earnest was a business caller at this office yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merriman are here from Pearsall visiting relatives.

Henry E. Graff shipped a car of cattle to the San Antonio market this week.

Prof. J. W. Willingham was here yesterday from the Alamo City on business.

Joe. L. Haby was over from D'Hanis yesterday and paid this office a business call.

Prof. J. L. Williams left yesterday for Sabinal to spend the week-end with homefolks.

The County Clerk issued a marriage licence to Roscoe Nuckles and Miss Maud Buttler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink attended the Wernette-Tondre wedding in San Antonio Wednesday.

Mrs. Fletcher Davis has been very sick with mumps all week, but is much better as we go to press.

A marriage license was issued Friday of last week to Douglas W. Brashier and Miss Pearl Davis.

Mrs. A. B. Harper left yesterday for her home at Ganado after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. J. S. Fly.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sears and Wheeler Hancock were here Sunday from San Antonio, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hancock.

Mrs. Oscar Tondre and two children returned home to D'Hanis yesterday after visiting Mrs. F. G. Muennink at this place.

A marriage license was issued this week to Wilfred W. Wernette and Miss Hilda Tondre, popular young people of Castroville.

Mrs. Charles Wailrath was here yesterday from D'Hanis, visiting her sisters, Mesdames. Wm. Hancock and W. F. Wanshaff.

Louis O. Johnson shipped ten cars of cattle to the St. Louis market from this place this week. They were grass steers from the Rothe pasture.

Little Misses Emma and Alice Rothe returned to their homes in D'Hanis yesterday after a pleasant visit to their aunt, Mrs. Hugo Schweers.

A young soldier boy made his safe arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Zimmermann, Thursday, June 21st. Mother and child doing well.

There were eleven cars of cattle shipped from here this week and one car of oil and one of beer shipped in. This constitutes the week's car-lot business.

Mrs. Sue Cook and two children, Elizabeth and Alice, left for their home in Austin yesterday after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Cook's sister, Mrs. J. E. Schlottmann.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wilson and children left for their home in Luling yesterday after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hancock. They were accompanied home by Miss Amy Hancock.

J. N. Dowdy, D. E. Beal, Lacy McCall, Henry McCall and one or two others whose names we failed to get, left the first of the week for San Antonio to secure work on the new army buildings at Ft. Sam Houston.

The new Summer 1917 directory for the Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co., has just been completed by the job department of the Anvil Herald, and is now in the hands of manager J. B. Hurt. They are being distributed among the telephone patrons.

C. G. Leighton was down from the "hill country" yesterday. Like this section he says it is very dry around Tarpley. He says wheat and oats threshing is underway and that both crops are turning out a better yield than the farmers of that section expected.

Mrs. R. H. Hudspeth and daughter, Miss Irene, and son, Martin, and Mrs. O. E. Lacy left early Monday morning for Bastrop where they went to attend a re-union of the Martin family, both Mrs. Hudspeth and Mrs. Lacy's maiden names being Martin. The party arrived at Bastrop at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon Monday.

Program Senior League.

June 24, 1917.

Leader—Mrs. Liles.
Subject, "The Kingdom of God in Mexico."
Song 355.
Scripture lesson, I Cor., XIII.
Prayer.
Song 348.
Talk by the leader.
Talk, "What is Our Duty to the Mexicans Living in Our Country," Mrs. H. M. King.
Piano solo—Miss Nettie Newton.
Talk, "Unselfishness," Miss Willie Fly.
Song.
League benediction.

Hondo Second Hand Store. CLOSING OUT SALE

Do you need some more furniture? If so now is your chance. A nice line of second hand furniture to be sold at cost. Sale begins Monday 28th. Come early and get the first choice.

This Woman Gains Seventeen Pounds

Tanlac Makes Her Well And Strong After Fifteen Years of Suffering.

"Tanlac made a well woman of me after I had suffered for fifteen years and had gotten to the point where I didn't believe I could possibly live any longer," was the remarkable statement made a few days ago by Mrs. Lottie Swofford, wife of H. H. Swofford, the popular salesman for the Jewel Tea Company, and living at the St. Charles Hotel, Galveston, Texas. "Yes, it's true," continued Mrs. Swogord. "I have gained seventeen pounds on Tanlac and I am stronger and feel better than I have since I can remember. Ever since I was a child I have suffered terribly with catarrh of the stomach and I don't believe anyone could have been in a worse condition than I was for the past few years. I suffered constantly with the most awful pains in my stomach and nearly all over my body and I had such terrible headaches that sometimes I almost went distracted.

"My food soured on my stomach and formed gas that would get around my heart and smother me so I could hardly breathe and my heart would flutter and palpitate until I almost thought it would jump out. I got to where I didn't hardly eat enough to keep a bird alive, but even that little would come right back up in my throat undigested and at last my stomach got into such a condition that it wouldn't even retain raw eggs and I had to live on beef tea alone.

"I was so weak that I couldn't walk across the room and when I tried to walk I would get so dizzy I would fall, and would have to be lifted from place to place. I was as nervous as I could be and the slightest sound would make me jump and tremble all over, and I gradually went down in weight until I only weighed eighty-five pounds. I was an absolute wreck and didn't see how I could possibly ever get well. I tried everything I could find but I didn't get one bit of relief and goodness only knows where I would be now if it hadn't been for Tanlac.

"I began taking this medicine as a sort of last resort and I couldn't tell at first whether it was doing me any good or not, but I stuck to Tanlac determined to give it a thorough trial. Well, sir, when I was on my fourth bottle I began to notice an improvement and from that time on I kept getting better and now, after taking eight bottles, I feel as well as I ever felt in my life. I never dreamed or dared to hope that I would feel as well as I do now and I can't begin to tell you how grateful I am.

"All my troubles are gone and my nerves are as steady as iron, I eat just anything I want and nothing gives me a minutes trouble and I now weigh one hundred and two pounds. I sleep splendidly and feel strong and full of energy all the time. Why, it's no effort at all for me to walk from here to the beach and back and that's a distance of two miles, and I feel so fine I just can't help telling everybody I meet about Tanlac. My husband thinks it's the greatest medicine that was ever made and he tells all his customers how it brought back my health when nothing else would even help me. I am glad to give this statement and I hope that lots of other suffering people will read it and get relief like I did."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H. Windrow, in Devine by Lion Drug Store in D'Hanis by Louis Carle, and in LaCoste by Dickey Drug Co.

Notice!

To the People of Hondo and Vicinity:
There will be a mass meeting at the Air Dome Sunday, 8:30 p. m., for the purpose of organizing a Red Cross Society. "Do your bit" by joining and contributing to this Society.

Dues—Annual member.....\$ 1.00
Subscribing member..... 2.00
Contributing member..... 5.00
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To the one who joins either of the last five, will receive an annual subscription to the Red Cross Magazine, handsomely illustrated, published monthly.

Sixteen of our boys have offered themselves. Who will care for them?

San Antonion Killed.

Harry Lewis Leathern, aged 27 years, who for twenty years was a resident of San Antonio, was shot and killed at New Boston, Texas, last Saturday, according to information received here. He was born in San Antonio and attended the public schools here. An arrest has been made in connection with the killing.

Surviving the deceased are five sisters, Mrs. J. R. Shelton, Mrs. Walter Simpson and Misses Cecelia and Minnie Butschek of San Antonio and Mrs. A. R. Wottlin of Hondo; his mother, Mrs. F. C. Butschek of San Antonio, and his father, William Leathern of San Antonio.

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The Future of the Classics.

The languages and literatures of Greece and Rome will always remain attractive fields for students whose tastes and natural capacities are chiefly literary, and especially for men of letters, authors, and professional students of language; but it is certain that they are soon to cease to make a prescribed part of general secondary and higher education, writes Charles W. Eliot in the Atlantic. There are too many histories, too many new sciences with applications of great importance, and too many new literatures of high merit which have a variety of modern uses, to permit any one, not bound to the classics by affectionate associations and educational tradition, to believe that Latin can maintain the place it has held for centuries in the youthful training of educated men, a place which it acquired when it was the common speech of scholars, and has held for centuries without any such good reason. For this loss of status by Latin genuine classical scholars will naturally console themselves with the reflection that it has never been possible to give an unwilling boy any real acquaintance with the Latin language or any love of Latin literature by compelling him to take three "units" of Latin at school and a course or two of Latin in college.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BRONCHO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

Another good way to make a June bride mad is to give her a home-canning outfit for a wedding present.

REALLY WENT UP SALT RIVER

Action of Defeated Office-Seeker in Kentucky Gave Rise to Saying Now Used All Over Country.

The people of the United States have always been prone and quick to catch a happy or unhappy remark or phrase in politics and to make the most of it to the advantage of one or the disadvantage of another party, observes the Christian Science Monitor.

Some leaders are happy even in their most casual expressions. Lincoln was one of these. Grant was another. It used to be said that the difference between Lincoln and his greatest general was that, while one dropped pearls of speech, the other dropped the pearls of silence. Nevertheless, when Grant said that he proposed to "fight it out on this line if it takes all summer" and when he said, "Let us have peace," he furnished his friends with political campaign material of the first order. They were sayings as simple as "With charity toward all; with malice toward none," or "You can fool some of the people some of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time," and because they were simple they were remembered.

Once, a long time ago, a defeated office-seeker, in order to "get himself together," left home as soon as he became aware of the result of the polls. A friend, inquiring for him a little later, was informed by a member of his family that he had gone up Salt river. Salt river was and is a modest little stream that rises in the hill country of Kentucky, and after flowing through a more or less picturesque district for about a score of miles, empties into the Ohio. It was in those days a good fishing creek, and the kind of stream a jaded and disappointed politician might naturally fancy. There was not a thing wrong about his excursion. Yet his political enemies got hold of the remark that he had "gone up Salt river" and used it to imply that this meant the end of his public career.

The saying spread from Kentucky into other states and for more than half a century it has been used to express the idea that a politician has been "driven to the woods" for good. "He's gone up Salt river" has come to mean, in fact, that a politician has "been put out of business," has been so badly beaten that he cannot "come back," "has seen his finish."

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well-known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Of course justice is blind, all the same it is dangerous for a man with a good case to be opposed by a good lawyer.

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Such Proof as This Should Convince Any Hondo Citizen.

The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be had. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow-citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Hondo adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it.

E. M. James, retired farmer, Hondo, says: "I came down with an attack of kidney trouble. My kidneys were disordered and failed to act properly. The passages of the kidney secretions became far too frequent and I was compelled to arise several times at night on this account. I was bothered constantly. Finally I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Windrow's Drug Store and they gave me prompt relief. Two more bottles entirely relieved the trouble. I have had no kidney complaint since."

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SECRET NOT LOST

Composition of Greek Fire of Ancient Days Still Known.

Ingredients Are Said to Be Identical With Those of Liquid Used in Modern Times by Some of Warring Powers.

It is a common error to suppose that the secret of the composition of the Greek fire so jealously guarded by the emperors of Constantinople is lost. On the contrary, it is set out at length in an Arabic manuscript of the year 1225, now in the Royal museum at Leyden, as well as in the better-known "Liber Ignium ad Comburendum Hostes" of Martin Graecus, written five years later and republished in 1842. Its ingredients are there given as naphtha, pitch, resin and sulphur and are identical, according to a scientific writer, with those of the liquid used today by some of the warring nations.

The well-known passage in the Sire de Joinville's Memoirs about it "coming flying through the air like a winged dragon, about the thickness of a hoghead, with the report of thunder and the speed of lightning so that the darkness of the night was dispelled by this horrible illumination," has misled scholars as to the way it was projected. Pots containing it were undoubtedly hurled by engines on board ship resembling the modern —which was also the ancient—catalpult; but the Greek sailors of the Middle Ages also used a chelosphon, or hand tube, worked by an officer, called a siphonator, which enabled him to direct it on any point he pleased of the enemy's vessel. This was undoubtedly the parent of the modern method.

How the liquid in question was forced out of the tube may still be doubtful but Professor Bury, in the notes to his edition of Gibson, thinks it was done by gunpowder, the composition of which was, according to him, already known to the Greeks of De Joinville's time. This would, perhaps, get over the difficulty of igniting the liquid before it was pumped on the enemy. The Germans, for example, seem to have improved on their model by using compressed air. The ignition was also arranged by mixing with the naphtha an organic substance which will spontaneously take fire when exposed to the atmosphere. But this was found to have its disadvantages. The liquid, once inflamed, was liable to blow back upon its projectors, and had the inconvenience of revealing the carrier of the engine and thereby exposing him to the attention of "snipers" of the other side. Hence it was found to be more prudent to separate the burning fluid itself from its means of ignition. Attacks are now begun by throwing fireballs into the enemy's trenches, with a fuse which lights them as soon as they touch the ground. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

Texans Hail Birthday.

Texans celebrate their own private Independence day, commemorating the signing of the declaration in 1836, which freed their ancestors from Mexican rule.

Texas was in all probability a part of the ancient Aztec empire, and since then it has been under six flags. Spain claimed the country by right of its conquest of the Aztecs, and France, too, claimed it as a part of the territory of Louisiana, with the Rio Grande as the southwestern boundary of French possessions. When the Mexicans gained their freedom Texas became a part of their republic, and so remained until 1836, when the Lone Star banner of the republic of Texas was raised. In 1845 the Stars and Stripes were raised over Texas, to be temporarily replaced by the stars and bars of the Confederacy during the Civil war.

A Man's Work.

The distinction and end of a soundly constituted man is his labor. Use is inscribed on all his faculties. Use is the end to which he exists. As the tree exists for its fruit, so a man for his work. A fruitless plant, an idle animal, does not stand in the universe. They are all toiling, however secretly or slowly, in the province assigned them, and to a use in the economy of the world, to higher and more catholic service. And the man seems to play, by his instincts and activity, a certain part that even tells on the general face of the planet, drains swamps, leads rivers into dry countries for their irrigation, perforates forests and stony mountain chains with roads, hinders the inroads of the sea on the continent, as if dressing the globe for happier races.—Emerson.

Mother Knows Better.

Willie liked to look through the pages of an illustrated history, and had a good memory for the pictures. One day a friend of his mother came in wearing a new hat.

"Oh," Willie exclaimed, "you look just like a witch."

The lady was very much complimented, as she thought he meant she was bewitching, but his mother was much embarrassed because she knew he had reference to a very ugly Salem witch in the book.

Some Support.

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4:20 p. m.	Odem	11:40 a. m.	11:35 p. m.
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6:45 p. m.	Kingsville	9:40 a. m.	8:40 p. m.
9:45 p. m.	Harlingen	6:25 a. m.	5:10 p. m.
10:35 p. m.	Brownsville	5:30 a. m.	4:05 p. m.

Trains on Nos. 1 and 2, between San Antonio and Corpus
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sville. Via Odem and St. L., B. & M.

E. F. BLOMEYER
TRAFFIC MANAGER
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

DIVIDE THE SPOIL MANY ODD HOUSES

Chinese Coolies' Greed Wipes Out Half of Village.

Find Unexploded Shell Which They Believe Is "Little Sun" and Try to Split It in Four Pieces.

Greediness wiped out half the population of a small village in China, according to Capt. Fritz Uttmark, who was formerly principal of the Seamen's Church Institute in New York city. There were only 30 people in the village, a retired spot on the Hwang river, and of the 30, 15 were instantly killed.

The Chinese government had been making experiments with some new shells. A mile from the village a company of soldiers had been doing target practice with the shells, and had then been sent to garrison a fort some distance away. During the target practice the soldiers would not let the villagers get nearer than half a mile of the guns, and the people, all ignorant coolies, had no idea what the shooting meant.

Some months after the target practice had ceased and the villagers had forgotten about it, two coolies, digging in a field, came upon a bright, round object. It was very heavy, and pointed at one end. Neither knew what the object was. As a matter of fact it was an eight-inch shell that had not exploded.

"It is mine," said the man who had dug the shell up.

"No, it is mine! I saw it first!" cried the second coolie. "You would not have known it was there if I had not seen it."

"And you would not have seen it if I had not dug it up."

For half an hour the two men argued, each advancing his claim in high-pitched, squealing tones. At last they agreed to let an aged Chinaman, who was said to be very wise, settle the question for them.

"You must divide it equally," was the verdict of the old man.

Then came the question as to how they should divide it. They tried to break it with a rock, but the shell could not be crushed that way.

"Let the blacksmith divide it," suggested the old man.

To the blacksmith they went.

"I do not work for nothing," declared the smith. "I will divide it into three parts; one for the man who found it, one for the man who saw it first and one for me."

That arrangement had almost been decided upon when the old man who had given the decision in the case objected. If the blacksmith was to have a third, then he himself ought to have a piece for settling the dispute.

"Divide it into four parts," urged the old man. "One for the finder, one for the man who saw it first, one for the blacksmith and one part for me."

To that they all agreed.

By this time the entire village had become greatly excited, the relatives of all four men crowding into the little blacksmith shop to see that justice was done. The blacksmith laid the shell on his anvil, and round him gathered all the people of the village. He swung his heavy hammer in the air and brought it down on the shell.

Bang!

The explosion killed all but two of the coolies who were in the blacksmith shop and injured half a dozen who were standing at the door and the two windows.

For a long time the Chinese government could not find out the cause of the accident. The natives were convinced that a miniature sun had fallen from the clouds and, offended, by the rough handling it had received, had become angry, and annihilated the guilty ones with their relatives and friends. The mystery was not explained until a small part of the shell casting was found.—Youth's Companion.

Hereditary.

"I have known them ever since I was a boy, and there has always been something queer about the whole family," said the landlord of the Petunia tavern. "One of her uncles thought he couldn't cross a room unless he walked a crack in the floor or come up the road without following a wagon track. Another uncle had a notion that it devolved upon him to sit in the open doorway, rain or shine, and wait for the coming of the Angel Gabriel. Her grandfather on her paw's side was a prominent Greenbacker. And now, although she is acknowledged to be the prettiest girl in the village, she openly declares that she don't believe that she was predestined to be a motion-picture actress!"—Kansas City Star.

Incompatible.

The caller was inclined to be affected, and so informed little Ruth that everything in her home was "couleur de rose."

"What did he mean, mother?" Ruth asked after he had gone.

"He meant color of the rose," explained mother, "but he said it in French."

"Oh, mother," exclaimed Ruth, "I always thought he was from Missouri!"

Playing for Bigger Stakes.

"Why didn't you accept the Brown's offer to take us in their car to the party?"

"I thought I'd wait. They have just an ordinary auto, and the Watsons have a limousine. They might offer to pick us up."

Character Forming.

The education of the will is really of far greater importance as shaping the destiny of the individual than that of the intellect. Theory and doctrine, and inculcation of laws and propositions, will never of themselves lead to the uniform habit of right action. It is by doing that we learn to do, by overcoming that we learn to overcome; by obeying reason and conscience, that we learn to obey; and every right act which we cause to spring out of pure principles, whether by authority, precept, or example, will have a greater weight in the formation of character than all the theory in the world.—Dr. J. D. Morell.

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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, JUNE 21, 1917

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Married Folks Dance JUNE 25th, Empire Opera House, Castroville, Texas, Old-time Music.

ARTZT'S ORCHESTRA

I will have a full line of
VELVET ICE CREAM
and also
HAM SANDWICHES

at the dance on
JUNE 25th.

ALFRED H. AHR,

Eug. Keller was here from Laco-
coste Saturday.

Emil Bendele was a visitor
here this week.

George Haas, Sr., of Francisco
was here Monday.

Albert Ihnken of Noonan vis-
ited here Tuesday.

Miss Annie Rihn is visiting
relatives in San Antonio.

Julius Ahr attended the dance
at Dunlay Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn
visited in Dunlay Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Tschirhart, Sr., was
here from Noonan Monday.

Paul Haby of Riomedina was
a visitor here during the week.

Fred Jungman was here from
Riomedina the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Groff vis-
ited relatives in Pearson Sunday.

Adolph Tondre and family
visited relatives at Noonan Sun-
day.

Albert Geant of French Settle-
ment was shopping here Tues-
day.

Miss Clara Rihn returned to
San Antonio the middle of the
week.

Albert Ihnken of Chicon was a
pleasant visitor in our midst Sat-
urday.

Miss Evelyn de Montel of
Hondo is visiting relatives here
this week.

Mrs. G. B. Noonan returned to
San Antonio after visiting rela-
tives here.

Chas. Wurzbach and daugh-
ter, Miss Katie, were shopping
here Monday.

Quite a number of young folks
of Hondo attended the dance
here Friday night.

Come one! Come all! To the
Empire Opera House, July 4th.
Good time assured.

Mrs. Emil Haegelin and son,
Otto, were here from the ranch
shopping Wednesday.

Grand July Dance will be given
at the Empire Opera House.
Good floor, good music.

J. F. Bader, our popular
sheriff, of Hondo, was a Castro-
ville visitor Wednesday.

George Boltner, Jr., of San
Antonio was mingling with his
many friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alois Iltis of La-
coste were visiting kinfolks and
friends in our midst Wednesday.

When you are in the market
for a windmill, gasoline engine,
trough or cypress tank, pipe and
fittings, etc., See Courand & Co.

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Food all the time and keep your
stock healthy, we have LeGear's
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grimsin-
ger and little son, Earl, Mr. and
Mrs. Josie Wernette, Mr. and
Mrs. J. W. Galbreath, Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Grascchel, Mr. and
Mrs. Fred Aulderson, Mr. and
Mrs. Enright Sinclair, Mr. and
Mrs. Elmer Wernette, all of San
Antonio, were the guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Willie Rihn and family
Sunday, the occasion being Mr.
J. B. Wernette's 82nd birthday.

Wilfred W. Wernette and Miss
Hilda Tondre stole a march on
their friends Wednesday morn-
ing and went to San Antonio
where they were married. Mr.
and Mrs. Fritz Muennink of
Hondo accompanied them to San
Antonio.

Messrs. George Carle, Jr.,
Emmitt and Elbert de Montel,
Ralph Windrow and Milton
Schmitt of Hondo are spending
the week near the Emil Haegelin
ranch camping.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Biry and
two children, and Mr. and Mrs.
Otto Bendele of Biry were here
Sunday on their way home from
a camping trip to the Medina
Dam.

Order that Summer suit now,
we have had years of experience
in fitting and getting correct
measurements. Every M. Born
suit pleases. Jos. Courand & Co.

The Castroville Mutual Fire
Association held their annual
meeting at Wernette's Hall Sun-
day afternoon, and the usual
routine business was transacted.

Jos. J. Rihn, bookkeeper at
Courand & Co's. store is enjoy-
ing a two week's vacation and
he and Mrs. Rihn and baby are
visiting at the Biediger ranch.

Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon and
daughter, Pattie, Mrs. Louis
Scherrer and daughter, Florence,
and Miss Gertrude Rihn, were
San Antonio visitors Monday.

Get some salt and sulphur and
get rid of the ticks on your stock,
special prices on sulphur in
large quantities. Jos. Courand &
Company.

Commissioner A. H. Tondre,
August and Jac. Burell and Ar-
thur Holzhaus took a run to Frio
county Friday on business
bound.

Oats harvesting and threshing
has begun in this section. We
learn that the average yield is
about eight bushels per acre.

Try a bottle of the world over
advised medicine, Tanlac, and
you will see the results. \$1.00 a
bottle. Jos. Courand & Co.

Mrs. Joe Braden of San An-
tonio was the guest of Mesdames
Henry Steinle and Theresa Ney
the first of the week.

For quick lunches, such as
cold meats, sausage, cheese,
butter, etc., see Courand & Co.

For Sale, a large ice-box. See
Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Seekatz and
little son and Miss Ella Seekatz
were Alamo City visitors Mon-
day.

Miss Annie Haby has return-
ed from a two weeks' visit to re-
latives and friends at Poteet,
Texas.

Don't forget to come to Cas-
troville on July 4th to the Grand
Dance at the Empire Opera
House.

A number from here attended
dances at Riomedina, Lacoste
and Dunlay respectively Satur-
day night.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen and chil-
dren of Uvalde spent the week
here with Mr. and Mrs. T. C.
Whitehead.

Judge R. J. Noonan and Coun-
ty Clerk S. A. Jungman of Hondo
were pleasant visitors in our
midst Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Etter of
Skidmore were visiting relatives
and friends here, and vicinity,
during the week.

Mrs. Torreno and children of
San Antonio were the guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bourquin
during the week.

L. W. Burell was in San An-
tonio this week and brought out
a handsome new model Speed-
ster super-six car.

**Prof. Theo. Arzt wants
all his married friends
to attend a dance
which he will give at
Empire Opera House
JUNE 25th.**

Web Worm Causing Damage.

Austin, Texas, June 20.—There is an
enormous damage being done to cotton
at this particular time by a small
green web-worm, according to N. D.
Zuber, assistant entomologist, Texas
Department of Agriculture. It nor-
mally feeds and breeds on the careless
weed, and is generally termed the
"garden web worm." The term "gar-
den web-worm" is very probably a
misnomer, for, although these little
caterpillars frequently do more or less
injury to various garden crops when
they become overabundant and mi-
grate to them from the weeds upon
which they normally feed, they are
best known as pests to corn and cot-
ton. It sometimes receives a local
name of "careless worm."

This small caterpillar has become a
serious pest this season in several sec-
tions of the State, especially upon cot-
ton. It is a little less than an inch
long, greenish to yellow in color, with
numerous black dots on both sides of
the body.

About mid-April in Texas the little
gray moth or miller deposits its small
yellowish eggs on the foliage of care-
less and other weeds in patches from
eight to twenty. The caterpillars of
this first generation feed upon weeds
and migrate to corn and cotton and
garden truck.

The little caterpillar spins a web
while feeding. Eventually the entire
plant will be reduced to a skeleton,
but at first only the under side of the
leaves are eaten. The caterpillars
become full grown in about three
weeks in summer, after which they de-
scend to the soil and pupate in little
silken cells. About one week later the
moth or miller emerges and com-
mences laying eggs for another generation.
There are about five generations of
this insect in Texas.

An arsenate of lead solution sprayed
thoroughly upon young cotton and es-
pecially on the under side of the leaves,
is a very effective control for this web-
worm. Mix one pound to one and one-
half pounds of arsenate of lead in just
enough water to make a good paste.
Pour this paste into fifty gallons of
water and keep the preparation stirred
while spraying.

All careless weeds and other weeds
upon which the caterpillars feed should
be destroyed. In letting these re-
main one is just aiding in the increase
of the insects. Thorough fall and winter
plowing will kill hundreds of the web-
worms, since they spend the winter in
the soil. For any further information
regarding the control of this pest, or
any others that may be troublesome, ad-
dress the Texas Department of Agri-
culture, Austin, Texas.

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TELEPHONE No. 26

B. Y. P. U. Assembly.

A look backward is sufficient to in-
spire the Baptist Young People's Union
with gratitude to God. From a small
company we have become a dominat-
ing factor in our denomination. What
we have achieved in the past furnishes
ground for hopefulness in the future.
The task of first importance is the en-
listment and development of our young
people. The Christian culture of our
converts conditions our future growth
and power. If we are to make Christ
regnant in our land he must reign in
the hearts and lives of our young peo-
ple. Our civilization will become more
and more Christian as we bring to bear
upon it a well rounded Christian cul-
ture, such as is received from the Pa-
lacios B. Y. P. U. assembly. This as-
sembly is in a class to itself. It is a
dynamo of information and inspiration
for service in the Kingdom; too it is
the right kind of an outing for young
people, such as fellowship, recreation,
camping parties, house parties, bath-
ing, training classes, and various other
attractions, such as addresses, ser-
mons, and the song service by Jolly
Colman Choir.

The next session of the assembly
will be from July 4 to 15. The pro-
gram for this session is one of the very
best that we have ever had. Our plea
is that pastors and church officers, to-
gether with parents, arrange to send
large groups of young people to this
session of the assembly. Come join
the San Antonio special, which leaves
San Antonio July 3.

Go where you will I do not believe
that one can take a vacation or outing
that offers as much genuine pleasure
and profit as that offered at Palacios.
For further information apply to trans-
portation leader, S. Wilburn, Del Rio,
Texas.

Parent-Teachers Meet.

The Hondo Parent-Teachers Associa-
tion held its regular monthly meeting
at the home of Mrs. D. W. Short on
Monday, June 11th. There were nine-
teen members and six visitors present.
One new member was added to the
roll.

The following committee was ap-
pointed to attend to trees on the school
grounds: Mrs. W. P. Laughinghouse,
Mrs. W. Wanshaff and Mrs. J. G.
Heyen.

The news box conducted by Mrs.
Schmitt was interesting and instruct-
ive. Mrs. L. J. Brucks was appointed
to have charge of the news box at the
July meeting.

A general discussion on "The Child's
Physical Health" was entered into by
several members.

Very beautiful instrumental and
vocal music was rendered by Misses
Wilson and Muennink.

The next meeting will be held at the
home of Mrs. D. H. Fly.

HALLE DE FRANZ JOSEF LOGE
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Beileids Beschluss.

Da wir durch den Tod unsern Freund
Bruder

JOE FRANGER

verloren so sei es:

Beschlossen dem Verstorbenen ein
treues Andenken zu bewahren, der so
schwer getroffenen Gattin unser
innigstes Beileid auszusprechen ferner
sei es:

Beschlossen den Freibrief der Loge
auf 30 Tage mit Trauer flor zu umh-
euzellen, den Beschluss ins Protokoll
einzutragen den Hinterbliebenen eine
Abschrift zu senden sowie in Hermanns-
Sohn und Hondo Anvil Herald zu ver-
oeffentlichen.

CHAS. KRENMUELLER,
JACK BILHARTZ,
ED. BADER,

Comitee.

Auto Tax Law.

The new state auto tax law becomes
effective July 1st, 1917, and each auto
owner is required to register his car
with the State Highway Commission
at Austin, together with one-half of the
annual tax insurance horse-power rat-
ing of his car at 35 cents for each
horse-power, with a minimum of \$7.50
per year. Unless he has so paid
his tax he is liable to a fine of not less
than \$10 nor more than \$25 for each
day he uses the highways after July
1st. The two banks here will collect
the amounts and remit in bulk and the
two tags provided by the state will
then be delivered to them in bulk, sav-
ing express charges. You had better
attend to this at once. The new head-
light glare law also is in effect on July
1, 1917.

Program Junior League.

Sunday, 3:00 p. m., June 24.
Leader—Kathleen Lynch.
Bible reading, Mark 5, 19.
Song 343.
Prayer by pastor.
Responsive reading, 24 Psalm.
Recitation—Leora Horger.
Song, "Rescue the Perishing."
Reading—Ruth Windrow.
Catechism lesson.
Song 336.
Close with League motto.

The Prolific Fly.

One housefly will produce 20,000
larvae, which will soon bring into ex-
istence 20,000 more, and these will
multiply to over 8,000,000,000 in about
five months.

Praise Him.

Only praise is due the young man
who ostentatiously displays his shanks
in a street car. He wants you to
know how carefully his mother lau-
ders his silk socks.

Louis Heyen, Will Saathoff and
Hy. Bohlen took in a bunch of fat
cattle to the San Antonio market last
Monday.

Observes Anniversary.

On Thursday morning, June 21,
F. Pallanche, Rector of the Cat-
Church here, celebrated a Mas-
Thanksgiving on the occasion of
sixth anniversary of his ordination
the Priesthood. Quite a number
the parishioners attended the Mas-
Rev. Francis Pallanche, or "Pa-
Francis" as he is popularly known,
was raised to the Priesthood
June 21, 1911, by His Em. Car-
Gibbons in the Baltimore Cathe-
He was assistant Priest at Vic-
Texas, for two years, and Past-
the Catholic Church at Port La-
for over three years before his
pointment to Hondo, as success-
the late Father J. J. Myers.

A Jitney Poet.

I would like to be more busy
Hauling you in my Tin Lizzie.
Any place, that's no mistake—
Country, city or Medina Lake.
I don't like to lay around idle,
And would wear a new blind br-
To accommodate the younger set.
So as not to see whom they pet.
Not that I care to pet at all,
All I wish is to make the haul.
Now then let's be up and doing,
And go fishing and canoeing.
—Robert Reitz

Services at the Catholic Ch

During the summer months
hours of services at the church
John the Evangelist will be as fol-
Sunday, 9 A. M., High Mass.
Sunday School after Mass.
7:30 P. M., evening services.
On week-days Holy Mass is
brated at 7:30 A. M.

Notice Horsemen.

I have bought the Robert R-
and will stand him for the se-
the E. C. Oefinger farm, New For-
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arrival of the colt.
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